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<i>JS</i>	Re. 29,652	05/30/1978	Fields et al.			
	Re. 32,581	01/19/1998	Scherm et al.			
	2,510,164	06/06/1950	Woodward et al.			
	2,540,979	02/06/1951	Clymer et al.			
	2,749,274	06/05/1956	Buckwalter			
	2,798,837	07/09/1957	Sahyun			
	2,798,838	07/09/1957	Robinson			
	2,805,977	09/10/1957	Robinson et al.			
	2,851,453	09/09/1958	Kennon et al.			
	2,857,313	10/21/1958	Cooper et al.			
	2,887,436	05/19/1959	Klioze et al.			
	2,957,804	10/25/1960	Schuyler			
	3,062,720	11/06/1962	Costello			
	3,065,143	11/20/1962	Christenson et al.			
	3,108,046	10/22/1963	Harbit			
	3,116,204	12/31/1963	Siegel et al.			
	3,134,719	05/26/1964	Sheth et al.			
	3,143,469	08/04/1964	Debay et al.			
	3,147,187	09/01/1964	Playfair			
	3,193,461	07/06/1965	Eisen			
	3,210,413	10/05/1965	Blank et al.			
	3,272,832	09/13/1966	Nakano et al.			
	3,336,200	08/15/1967	Krause et al.			
	3,424,842	01/28/1969	Nürnberg			
	3,495,011	02/10/1970	Fossel			

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
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	3,634,584	01/11/1972	Poole			
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	3,709,991	01/09/1973	Miller			
	3,721,735	03/20/1973	Thiffault			
	3,773,920	11/20/1973	Nakamoto et al.			
	3,795,691	03/05/1974	Douglas et al.			
	3,806,601	04/23/1974	Mikite et al.			
	3,849,554	11/19/1974	Winitz			
	3,859,437	01/07/1975	Weigand			
	3,862,332	01/21/1975	Barnhart et al.			
	3,864,416	02/25/1975	Albright et al.			
	3,870,790	03/11/1975	Lowey et al.			
	3,923,972	12/02/1975	Fields et al.			
	3,924,001	12/02/1975	Albright et al.			
	3,930,017	12/30/1975	Kummer et al.			
	3,951,821	04/20/1976	Davidson			
JS	3,957,976	05/18/1976	Sugimoto			
	3,959,492	05/25/1976	Coulston et al.			
	3,965,255	06/22/1976	Bloch et al.			
JS	3,977,404	08/31/1976	Theeuwes			
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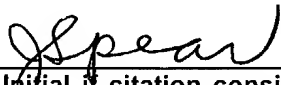
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	4,011,339	03/08/1977	Galantay et al.			
	4,014,334	03/29/1977	Theeuwes et al.			
	4,014,987	03/29/1977	Heller et al.			
	4,034,087	07/05/1977	Voorhees			
	4,034,758	07/12/1977	Theeuwes			
	4,058,122	11/15/1977	Theeuwes et al.			
	4,067,876	01/10/1978	Ferutti et al.			
	4,077,407	03/07/1978	Theeuwes et al.			
	4,102,806	07/25/1978	Kondo et al.			
	4,115,550	09/19/1978	Fields et al.			
	4,116,241	09/26/1978	Theeuwes et al.			
	4,117,111	09/26/1978	Fields et al.			
	4,126,672	11/21/1978	Sheth et al.			
	4,140,755	02/20/1979	Sheth et al.			
	4,160,020	07/03/1979	Ayer et al.			
	4,160,452	07/10/1979	Theeuwes			
	4,166,902	09/04/1979	Ferruti			
	4,167,558	09/11/1979	Sheth et al.			
	4,169,944	10/02/1979	Scallen et al.			
	4,178,387	12/11/1979	Diamond et al.			
	4,180,064	12/25/1979	Heller et al.			
	4,182,902	01/08/1980	Thiele et al.			

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	4,226,849	10/07/1980	Schor			
	4,230,878	10/28/1980	Shepherd			
	4,237,118	12/02/1980	Howard			
	4,248,857	02/03/1981	DeNeale et al.			
	4,251,519	02/17/1981	Robbins et al.			
	4,255,449	03/10/1981	Cavazza			
	4,256,108	03/17/1981	Theeuwes			
	4,259,314	03/31/1981	Lowey			
	4,261,970	04/14/1981	Ogawa et al.			
	4,268,524	05/19/1981	Cavazza			
	4,272,548	06/09/1981	Gatzen et al.			
	4,279,898	07/21/1981	Engel et al.			
	4,282,233	08/04/1981	Vilani			
	4,283,382	08/11/1981	Frank et al.			
	4,285,951	08/25/1981	Hoefle			
	4,291,030	09/22/1981	Mulinos			
	4,305,959	12/15/1981	Shepherd			
JS	4,308,251	12/29/1981	Dunn et al.			
	4,309,404	01/05/1982	DeNeale et al.			
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	4,357,469	11/02/1982	Schor			
	4,361,546	11/30/1982	Stricker et al.			
	4,362,711	12/07/1982	Cerami			
	4,367,217	01/04/1983	Gruber et al.			
	4,369,172	01/18/1983	Schor et al.			
	4,375,468	03/01/1983	Dunn			
	4,382,143	05/03/1983	Shepherd			
	4,389,393	06/21/1983	Schor et al.			
	4,428,951	01/31/1984	Hata et al.			
	4,432,966	02/21/1984	Zeitoun et al.			
	4,440,940	04/03/1984	Shepherd			
	4,452,775	06/05/1984	Kent			
	4,454,108	06/12/1984	Iida et al.			
	4,455,298	06/19/1984	McFarlane et al.			
	4,457,907	07/03/1984	Porter et al.			
	4,461,759	07/24/1984	Dunn			
	4,465,660	08/14/1984	David et al.			
	4,472,436	09/18/1984	Hooper			
	4,478,819	10/23/1984	Hercelin et al.			
	4,485,105	11/27/1984	Shepherd			
	4,505,890	03/19/1985	Jain et al.			
	4,522,804	06/11/1985	Dunn			
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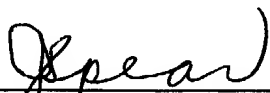
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	4,556,678	12/03/1985	Hsiao et al.			
	4,568,547	02/04/1986	Herschler			
	4,571,333	02/18/1986	Hsiao			
	4,576,604	03/18/1986	Guittard et al.			
	4,603,142	07/29/1986	Burger et al.			
	4,605,666	08/12/1986	Schmidt et al.			
	4,610,870	09/09/1986	Jain et al.			
	4,624,950	11/25/1986	Sasaki et al.			
	4,657,757	04/14/1987	Hanna et al.			
	4,673,405	06/16/1987	Guittard et al.			
	4,678,516	07/07/1987	Alderman et al.			
	4,680,323	07/14/1987	Lowey			
	4,684,516	08/04/1987	Bhutani			
	4,690,824	09/01/1987	Powell et al.			
	4,692,337	09/08/1987	Ukigaya et al.			
	4,695,467	09/22/1987	Uemura et al.			
	4,695,591	09/22/1987	Hanna et al.			
	4,695,910	09/22/1987	Maruyama et al.			
	4,696,762	09/29/1987	Sander et al.			
	4,704,285	11/03/1987	Alderman			
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	4,747,881	05/31/1988	Shaw et al.			
	4,749,575	06/07/1988	Rotman			
	4,752,479	06/21/1988	Briggs et al.			
	4,753,801	06/28/1988	Oren et al.			
	4,755,544	07/05/1988	Makino et al.			
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	4,758,581	07/19/1988	Scherm et al.			
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	4,794,115	12/27/1988	Takahasi et al.			
JS	4,795,327	01/03/1989	Gaylord et al.			
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	4,824,672	04/25/1989	Day et al.			
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	4,828,836	05/09/1989	Elger et al.			
	4,830,859	05/16/1989	Finnan			
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	4,935,246	06/19/1990	Ahrens			
	4,940,588	07/10/1990	Sparks et al.			
	4,942,040	07/17/1990	Ragnarsson et al.			
	4,946,870	08/07/1990	Partain, III et al.			
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	4,973,469	11/27/1990	Mulligan et al.			
	4,983,398	01/08/1991	Gaylord et al.			
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	5,009,895	04/23/1991	Lui			
	5,010,105	04/23/1991	Lee			
	5,011,947	04/30/1991	Catt et al.			
	5,015,479	05/14/1991	Mulligan et al.			
	5,023,245	06/11/1991	Kuhrts			
	5,025,012	06/18/1991	Miura et al.			
	5,030,653	07/09/1991	Trivedi			
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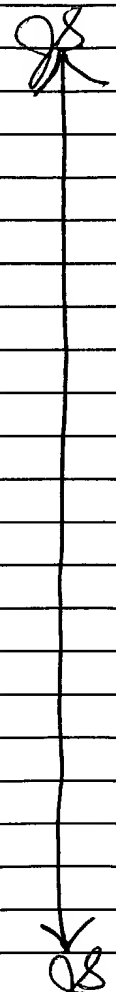
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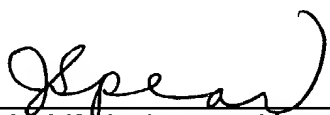
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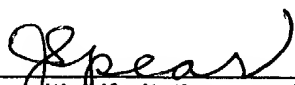
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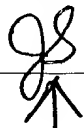



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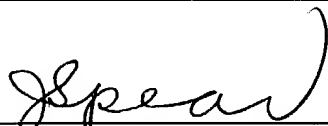
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


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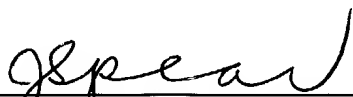
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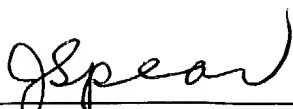
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